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## REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY OR AGENT AND CHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

Application Number	10/681,831
Filing Date	10/08/2003
First Named Inventor	Matt Kriesel
Art Unit	1772
Examiner Name	
Attorney Docket Number	C228 1020.4

To: Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Please withdraw me as attorney or agent for the above identified patent application, and

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 the attorneys/agents associated with Customer Number

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The reasons for this request are: Applicant revoked our representative capacity. See attachment for further detail.

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1.  The correspondence address is NOT affected by this withdrawal.
2.  Change the correspondence address and direct all future correspondence to:

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OR

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Country	U.S.A.		
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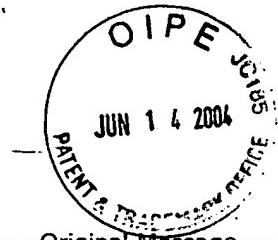
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ATTACHMENT TO REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL

As evidenced in the attached e-mail, Applicant requested return of all files and an end of the agent relationship. Attorney notified Applicant of all pending due dates (see attached letter and Schedule of Patent Applications/Patents). The present withdrawal request provides the Applicant's address for all future correspondence in prosecution of the instant application.



-----Original Message-----

**From:** Impactgel@aol.com [mailto:Impactgel@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 02, 2004 12:40 PM  
**To:** Wiley, Mark  
**Subject:** Re: Outstanding Billings/Departure of Steve Schmid

Hey Mark

I received your message about deadlines on certain patents, Trademarks, etc...I think given our current situation it would be best if you would send all of our files back...I will take care of the filing deadlines best we can...Our address is:

Impact Gel Corp  
204 North Washington St  
Melrose, WI 54642

We will try to keep things moving in a positive direction...Thanks for all your help and given the time line your immediate attention to this matter.

Thanks

Matt Kriesel  
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June 3, 2004

**VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Mr. Matt Kriesel  
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Dear Matt:

According to your request, enclosed are the patent application files for the "Reinforced Polymer Shock Absorbing Pad" (File No. C228 1020.4) and "Attenuating Horseshoe" (File No. C228 1070.1). The remaining patent files will be sent to you shortly. Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice relinquishes all responsibility for these matters as of June 3, 2004. In particular, we will take no action to respond to the deadlines outlined below. You must file appropriate responses in the U.S. Patent Office by the indicated deadlines to avoid abandonment of these patent applications.

Also enclosed is a schedule showing all of your patent matters, their status, and any upcoming actions due. Of particular note are the following deadlines for the two enclosed files:

C228 1020.4

Response to Notice to File Missing Parts due  
**June 7, 2004. THIS DATE IS NOT EXTENDABLE.**

C228 1070.1

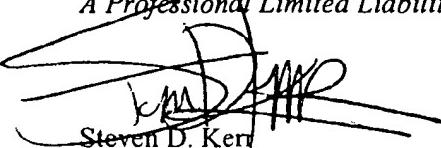
Response to Office Action due **June 11, 2004.**  
THIS DATE IS NOT EXTENDABLE.

Each of these items must be filed with a request for a three month extension of time and the requisite fees.

Christopher Bolen in our RTP office is gathering your trademark files and will provide them shortly. I wanted to get the two patent files to you immediately, however, because of the upcoming deadlines.

Sincerely yours,

WOMBLE CARLYLE SANDRIDGE & RICE  
*A Professional Limited Liability Company*

  
Steven D. Kerr

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Enclosures

cc: Mark Wiley, Esq. (w/o encl.)

**IMPACT GEL CORPORATION**  
**SCHEDULE OF PATENT APPLICATIONS/PATENTS**

TITLE (FILE NO.)	COUNTRY	OWNER NAME	INVENTORS	STATUS	SERIAL NO.	FILING DATE	PATENT NO.	ISSUE DATE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION	NEXT ACTION	ACTION DUE DATE
Hoofed Animal Pad (C228 1020.1)	U.S.	Impact Gel Corporation Reel/Frame: 013013/0995	Matt Kriesel Bruce Lyle	Issued	10/094,030	March 7, 2002	6,538,511	July 8, 2003	Horseshoe pad	First maintenance fee	January 8, 2007
Hoofed Animal Pad (C228 1020.2)	U.S.	Impact Gel Corporation	Matt Kriesel Bruce Lyle	Pending	10/613,740	July 3, 2003			CIP of horseshoe pad	4-26-04 Received First Office Action. Response due.	July 26, 2004
Shock Absorbing Compound (C228 1020.3)	U.S.	Impact Gel Corporation Assignment executed, not yet recorded	Matt Kriesel Troy Goodenough	Pending	10/672,706	September 26, 2003			Gel compound	Awaiting First Office Action.	
Reinforced Polymer Shock Absorbing Pad (C228 1020.4)	U.S.	Impact Gel Corporation (Assignment executed, not yet recorded)	Matt Kriesel	Pending	10/681,831	October 8, 2003				Received Missing Parts Notice; need to file Declaration – eot	June 7, 2004 (with 3 month eot)
Hoofed Animal Pad (C228 1020PCT)	PCT	Impact Gel Corporation	Matt Kriesel Bruce Lyle	Pending	PCT/US03/06950	March 6, 2003			Horseshoe pad	National phase in Europe	October 7, 2004
Design-Hoofed Animal Pad (C228 1030.1)	U.S.	Impact Gel Corporation Reel/Frame: 013803/0117	Matt Kriesel Bruce Lyle	Issued	29/169,673	October 24, 2002	D479,021 S	August 26, 2003		No maintenance fees due on design patents	
Design-Hoofed Animal Pad (C228 1060.1)	U.S.	Impact Gel Corporation Reel/Frame: 013800/0451	Matt Kriesel Bruce Lyle	Issued	29/169,684	October 24, 2002	D478,694 S	August 19, 2003		No maintenance fees due on design patents	
Attenuating Horseshoe (C228 1070.1)	U.S.	Impact Gel Corporation Assignment executed, waiting for PTO recordal	Matt Kriesel	Pending	10/401,127	March 27, 2003			Horseshoe having a gel insert	12-13-03 Received first Office Action; Response due with 3 month eot	June 11, 2004



TITLE (FILE NO.)	COUNTRY	OWNER NAME	INVENTORS	STATUS	SERIAL NO.	FILING DATE	PATENT NO.	ISSUE DATE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION	NEXT ACTION	ACTION DUE DATE
Helmets & Vests (C228 1100.P1)	U.S	Impact Gel Corporation Assignment executed, will file upon receipt of official serial number	Matt Kriesel	Pending	60/509,712	October 8, 2003				Awaiting Filing Receipt	Conversion due 10-08-04

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June 7, 2004

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**VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Dear Matt:

Further to our letter to you of June 3, 2004, enclosed are the remainder of your patent files (file numbers C228 1020.2, C228 1020.3, C228 1020PCT, C228 1100.P1, C228 1020.1, C228 1050.1 and C228 1060.1). Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice will take no further action in connection with any of these matters and relinquishes all responsibility for these matters as of June 7, 2004.

Sincerely yours,

WOMBLE CARLYLE SANDRIDGE & RICE  
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Steven D. Kerr

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### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being mailed in an envelope by First Class mail to:

**Commissioner for Patents  
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on June 9, 2004.

Cheryl West  
(Typed or printed name of person mailing correspondence)

Cheryl West  
(Signature of person mailing correspondence)

Serial Number: 10/681,831

Filing Date: 10/08/2003

Title: Reinforced Polymer Shock Absorbing Pad

Our Reference Number: C228 1020.4

Request for Withdrawal as Attorney or Agent and Change of Correspondence Address  
Attachment to Request for Withdrawal

June 2, 2004 e-mail to Mark Wiley from Impact Gel

June 3, 2004 letter to Matt Kriesel from Steven D. Kerr

Schedule of Patent Applications/Patents

June 7, 2004 letter to Matt Kriesel from Steven D. Kerr

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